Assessment *for* Learning

Self Assessment

Question 1: Are my AfL understandings/efforts research-driven?		
BEGINNING	PROGRESSING	EXEMPLARY
I am beginning to review research on	I have a basic familiarity with research	I am very familiar with the research on
the effect of AfL on teacher quality,	on the effect of AfL on teacher quality,	the effect of AfL on teacher quality,
student achievement, and motivation	student achievement, and motivation	student achievement, and motivation
to learn.	to learn.	to learn. The intentional integration of
		this research is evident in my daily
		classroom practices.
Question 2:		
Do I intentionally collect and analyze information about my teaching and its effect on my students' learning?		
BEGINNING	PROGRESSING	EXEMPLARY
I am eager to begin collecting evidence	Some of my lessons demonstrate my	I consistently use AfL to collect strong
on the ways that my teaching affects	efforts to use AfL practices to refine	evidence of student learning and to
student learning in my classroom.	and revise my teaching in ways that	raise the quality of my own teaching. I
	have a proven positive effect on	can document exactly which
	student learning in my classroom.	instructional practices have had
		positive effects on student learning in
		my classroom.
Question 3: Do my students have opportunities in my classroom to assess and regulate their own learning?		
BEGINNING	PROGRESSING	EXEMPLARY
My students are not aware that they	My students have basic-self-assessment	My students and I are partners in
can assess and regulate their own	knowledge and skill. They usually have	learning. We consistently share
learning. I will take steps to raise their	a general idea of what they must do	information about learning goals and
self-assessment awareness and skill.	more of, or less of, or what they should	success criteria. My students are skilled
	do next to be successful. I am not	self-assessors and confident self-
	consistent in making self-assessment an	regulated learners.
	integral part of each lesson.	
Question 4: Do I use the AfL process as I am teaching to guide what I do?		
BEGINNING	PROGRESSING	EXEMPLARY
I collect information on student	I am sometimes able to guide my	I know exactly where my student and I
learning at the end of a lesson, not	teaching based on information that I	are headed and the criteria for success.
while I am teaching. I use evidence of	am gathering. I always use what I know	I constantly gauge student learning to
student learning to improve how I will	about my students' learning to re-teach	monitor and adjust my teaching as I am
teach the lesson to the next group of	concepts until they reach mastery.	working with my students.
students.	concepts and they read mastery.	
Question 5: Do I draw on AfL information to guide my conversations with parents, other teachers, and		
administrators about student learning and achievement in my classroom?		
BEGINNING	PROGRESSING	EXEMPLARY
I rely mostly on assessment of learning,	I use the AfL process to gather	I consistently collect precise, timely,
(summative) and the information that I	information to share with others about	and descriptive evidence from the AfL
collect exists as grades and scores.	student learning in my classroom. This	process that guides my conversations
What I collect does little to help me	evidence provides a rich description of	with others regarding exactly what my
describe the learning that is and is not	where my students are in relation to	students know and are able to do as
taking place in a way that is helpful to	the learning goals.	they make progress toward the clearly
others.		defined learning goals. Modified from: Moss & Brookhart.

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